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—Neil Driscol photo

**HIS PEDALS DON'T WORK**—It's a known fact that some automobile engines won't turn over at -20 degrees, and jumper cables have been more common than skipping ropes in university parking lots this week. Here, two stranded motorists struggle with their frozen beast in SUB lot Wednesday—only with more success than most.

## Honoraria, special benefits sought

## House committee may resign unless agreement reached

By LORRAINE MINICH

Men students in Lister Hall may be without a residence house committee unless an agreement with the administration is worked out before Jan. 31.

In a letter sent to Provost A. A. Ryan last fall, the Men's Residence House Committee threatened to resign Jan. 31 unless certain demands were met. In another letter sent Wednesday, the students again outlined difficulties in residence and areas which require investigation.

Committee members have been negotiating with the administration since the original letter last fall and have made demands for financial and special benefits for committee members' rooms.

Prof. Ryan told *The Gateway* Wednesday neither of the letters could actually be considered a threat to the administration. Instead, he said, they are an appeal for co-operation.

This is the first year that residence government is completely student-run, according to Prof. Ryan, student government is the best way to run the residences.

"Considering the only administrative representative in residence is an assistant dean, the students have done a remarkably responsible job," said Prof. Ryan.

Prof. Ryan said committee members are going more work than they should have to and they should not have to bear the brunt of attack by disgruntled residents.

Committee members have had to act as bellmen for students who are locked out," said Prof. Ryan. "When they found no thanks for these minor duties, they logically

suggested payment for their services."

Prof. Ryan suggested the House Committee members be given student activity awards rather than wages.

It's only fair that committee members should have better rooms, an extra-curricular award, and credit on the transcript of records when they leave the university, said Prof. Ryan.

The committee heads need help in enforcing discipline, said Prof. Ryan. Most of the students in residence are freshmen who don't know about residence government.

"The committee is doing a good job, but they need all the assistance, especially from some senior students who have been setting a bad example."

The publicity which has been given to the residences by The Gateway has been bad, said Prof. Ryan. The publicity is hurting residence at a time when it needs help.

"It's about time *The Gateway* decided whether its news wants or the truth," said Prof. Ryan.

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## Quebec class boycott ends

Committees formed to study employment and financial aid

By WILF DAY

Canadian University Press Staff Writer

MONTREAL—More than 27,000 Quebec students, on strike this week protesting a three-week extension of their school term, today returned to classes after reaching a compromise agreement with the Quebec government.

Under the agreement, the school year extension will remain, but two committees of student and government officials have been set up to study financial aid and student employment possibilities.

The Quebec students have argued bitterly that the extension would cut down their summer earnings.

The committees, selected to have equal representation from the two groups, will begin work immediately. The financial aid committee is to report before March 1 on what financial measures should be taken to aid technical school students in Quebec.

The second committee is designed to examine an employment policy by the government can assist students in locating summer jobs.

Announcement of the agreement was made late Wednesday night following negotiations among Michel Delorme, president of the Quebec Specialized Students' Federation (FEESQ); Robert Nelson, president of the Association des étudiants du Québec (UEGQ), and Quebec Education Minister Paul Gerin-Lajoie.

Delorme came out of the meeting proclaiming a "victory" for the students because they have been given committee representation.

Even though the students were selected to return to school today, each of the 60 schools being picketed will take a vote on acceptance or rejection of the agreement.

Delorme said he expects the vote to go in favor of acceptance, if any schools reject the offer, there will be study sessions held until a suitable settlement can be worked out.

The strike began Monday after a series of strike votes at the various specialized schools across the province. When the education minister refused to allow students to appeal the three-week extension of the school term.

The strike has averaged 90 per cent in favor of acceptance. Only one school, Granby, turned it down.

Students picketed schools while policemen stood by during the week. No students crossed the picket lines and no incidents were reported.

## Pay up or else!

After Jan. 31, a student's registration is subject to cancellation for non-payment of fees and the student to exclusion from classes.

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## PC-Socred coalition denied

By SHEILA BALLARD

The president of the Alberta Social Credit League says the UAC Progressive Conservative-Social Credit coalition appears to be a political impossibility.

"I hate to think it was engineered but the UAC Social Credit group has never asked for any affiliation or assistance from us," said Orville Kennedy.

Last weekend, two Canadian groups merged.

They are the Alberta Social Credit

and the Canadian Social Credit party.

Mr. Kennedy discounted the claim in the *Edmonton Journal* that the move was made because of lack of funds.

He said since the group had never approached the Alberta Social Credit League to indicate their action was little more than a move to embarrass Social Crediters.

Mr. Kennedy contends the amalgamation defangs the purpose of political parties.

"Since the purpose of campus political parties is to explain and advocate the policies of the particular party, I don't see how any two parties makes this impossible," said Mr. Kennedy.

Certainly had the group been officially affiliated with the former Social Credit, they would have discussed such a move on the grounds, said Mr. Kennedy.

The Edmonton campus chapter, Dale Ensrson, says the Calgary group is not affiliated with the Canadian Students' Social Credit Federation.

He agreed the move was possibly a political stunt.

"Their claim of having no funds is a pretty feeble excuse because assistance is available if they go through the proper channels," says Ensrson.

Asked if the views of the Sacred Party on this campus were close to those of the former Ensrson said: "I can't say how closely the policies are to ours because they have never expressed their policies."

"I might co-operate if I found out more about it but I don't have reason to dissolve the campus Social Credit party to become part and parcel of the PC party," Ensrson added.

## THE WEATHER

The Edmonton weather office predicts continued very cold weather with sunny skies and light winds.

Last night's low -27. Predicted high today -20.

Low tonight and high Friday are -30 and -26.



# charming new book published

(Having heard Jim Whyte mention her book "Fanny Hill" recently, we decided to ask him to come forth with a review. That was tantamount to disaster, we realize. But the book is real, published by the University of B.C., and it's written by Ted Mark. Essential footnotes will be found below the poem. Aspiring readers will number the lines to facilitate comprehension.)

I've asked around: I've searched and sought  
The pop-art dirty book that's broken.  
For hard-edge porn's been Warren spanned.  
My friends have said quite lately

That nought compares with "Chitterley".  
And "Fanny Hill" is scarcely grand.  
Now some, I quote, say "Candy's" dandy,  
What might be true, if it were handy.  
(The B.O.P. has had it banned.) I've wandered through the Tropic zone,  
How "Carpetbaggers" making moon  
And castled Burroughs is the sand,  
Recollected the scenes in "Battle Cry".

(Which was "the book" in junior high though now it all seems rather Read John O'Hara's epic tales And eccent John Rechy's squall walls "The Passion Flower Hotel" is a story for the kitten of Bob Gover's unrequited love. (A hundred bucks? Misunderstand?) At last with luck I've found the book Makes "Fanny Hill" come out like "Look", And Mark's "Time of Her Time" and FINALES from a Spillane thriller.

As clean as Chaucer's "Tale of Tales".  
Hold enough to pass from hand To hand without the rank of RAND.

The French tradition: Voltaire's "Candide" (I've heard all). You're tired of that? Then try "The Girl from Pussy-cat".

Another sexy book, the strand of name that is this gal (by Of Pennie Candy's) got her fame.

By virtue's head, no troubled gland (Like Ebenezer Cooke's) tacter Virtue cf. Barth's "Sot Weed Factor".

But just a passion to get "manned". From her "Baby Doll" and "Peyton Place" Pennie cannot lose her face.

No novel except "Tristram Shandy" untouched by Ted Mark's wit.

From his lampooning of "Lolita" and MacNamara's band. "The Well of Loneliness" gets blown.

And Brett Ashley gets her own (it's Eamie Hemingway's own brand.)

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The novel's tone—or it is timbre? Declining a theme "forever amber"? You could say that it's been fanned.

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The non-aspiring reader will now wonder his lines having rhyme by this time realized the following notes are truly essential:

L. 3. "Warren speaking". See Peacock. The rest of the line definitely exists, but Chief Justice Warren is not necessarily being referred to.

L. 7. Homage to Ogden Nash: "Candy" is dandy but likker is quicker".

L. 9. "B.O.P.": The Board of Objectionable Publications. The book does not have been banned. It merely suggests that it would prefer book distributors to prefer not to distribute suggestive literature.

L. 10. See all possible Millers' tails: Henry, Arthur, Chaucer, Joe, et al.

L. 12. Not Anne but William Shakespeare's Macbeth.

L. 17. "ECHT": may be confused with Bertolt, this German word means "real", as in "Echt-Deutschgrammophon", or D.A.S.E.

L. 18. Mr. Whyte has forgotten who wrote "The Passion Flower Hotel".

L. 18-19. "man Dastey": Not to be confused with Mandy Davies, who merely underran a Tory. But that was really Christine Keeler. Keep clear the distinction between Mandy and Shandy, and never confuse keel with Stener (14).

L. 19-21. Robert Gover: "The 900 Meter Underhand". Do you?

L. 23. "look": an American magazine. Should not be confused with "See", "Feel", "Smell", and "Insign".

L. 24. Put the accent on "her". See "Time and the Western Man" by P. L. Travers.

L. 26. See Bill Miller.

L. 29. See T. S. Eliot, "The French Tradition and the Individual Talent". Or vide la France.

L. 31. This line is an explicit statement of the theme of this review. Disregard all pseudo-experts.

L. 32. "Strand": i.e. one strand of the plot, of the "warping process". Cf. Virginia Woolf, "The Common Reader". Oh, what a tangled web (Beatrice and Sydne) we weave.

L. 36. "Inister": is neither a Latin adverb nor a troubled gland, but rather the comparative of the verb "to insist" (a French infinitive used in speaking of the maintenance of French Canada's political and cultural rights).

L. 37. Since the original footnote to this line happened to rhyme with the preceding line (l. 36), it was incorporated into this line, thus necessitating this footnote.

L. 38. "Manned": from the verb "to man". Cf. its present meaning in "manned capsule". What EC? But though you have presented us on this far, do not pass l. 39; go back to l. 38, and meditate as it penetrates.

L. 39. "Baby Doll": is by authority of Tennessee Williams; and Rudy Vallee "Peyton Place" is by Grace Metamorphosis. Vide Kaufman and Hart's *As You Like It*.

L. 41. Proceed quickly to l. 42. "Tristram Shandy" is by the Lawrence Sterne of the footnote to l. 11-13.

L. 42. Remember Ted Mark. Vide introduction to this review, SUPRA.

L. 43. "Lolit": not to be confused with the L. L. L.

L. 44. "Joe, can you cf. R. Lewis alone in our great tradition?" Can the reader spot seven types of originality in this sentence? (Caveat: Empson.) But the Empson never sets on the O.E.D.

L. 47. "Brand": a play by Ibsen.

L. 48. "Timbre": an obscure musical instrument, carved from Burnham Wood. See l. 49, "forever".

L. 49. "declines": see, decline, and fall. "Brett Ashley": a character in "The Sun Also Sets". But the Empson never sets on the O.E.D.

L. 50. "fanned": the "fire pale" is the shade of the Kincade laid. (Video tape available.)

Damyalla, godanya eyes: Bonjour, Tristram. Mandy, ghandi, shandy.

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